

The Daily Courant.

Wednesday, August 17. 1720

Alziers, July 16.

THE Hester a Dutch Ship, which was taken and brought in here on the 7th of this Month by one of our Corsairs, was so much damaged in the Fight that it was found necessary to break her up and dispose of her Materials. Two of our chief Corsairs, which had been long out a cruising, are come in hither without having taken any Prize. On the 4th Instant two Corsairs of 24 Guns each, put to Sea. On the 8th three went out, one of them carrying 36 Guns, and another 40; and on the 9th two more, one of 38, the other of 48 Guns. These 7 Corsairs are gone to cruise towards the Straights and in the Ocean.

Milan, July 27. Mr. Davenant, his Britannick Majesty's Envoy with the Republick of Genoa, having by Order of the King his Master repaired to the Court of Modena, to compliment the Duke in his Majesty's Name on the Marriage of the Prince with Mademoiselle the Daughter of the Duke of Orleans, was received by his Highness with all Marks of Distinction; and his Highness made him a Present of a Diamond Ring of considerable Value. The said Envoy has lik wise been at the Courts of Parma and Florence, and will soon return to his Residence at Genoa.

Petersburg, July 22. M. de Wilde, Resident of the States General, arrived here Yesterday from Holland, and to Day notified his Arrival to the Court. He expects an Audience of the Czar in a few Days. M. de Romantof, Adjutant General, was married Yesterday to a Daughter of M. de Matueof, formerly the Czar's Ambassador in England and Holland. His Czarish Majesty was at the Wedding, with all his Court, and the foreign Ministers.

Hague, Aug. 20. The Intrigues for the Election of a Pensionary are still carrying on, but managed with so much Address and Precaution, that it is not yet possible to make any tolerable Guess to whose Share this Employment may fall. The little Towns of Edam and Purmerend, have erected two new Companies of Insurance; and notwithstanding the Number of those already on foot, have not only filled their Subscriptions, but sell their Actions at 10 and 15 per cent Advance. The Magistrates of Amsterdam seeing this Rage increase every Day, and having some Projects of the like Nature offered to them, assembled several of their chief Merchants last Week, to know whether these Companies were advantageous or not for the Publick; and all having unanimously declared, that they looked upon them to be very ruinous to Trade, the Magistrates not only rejected the several Proposals which had been made them of this Nature, but forbid the Brokers of the Town to pass any Contracts relating to the Actions of the said private Companies, on pain of losing their Employments and of a Fine of 1000 Florins.

Paris, Aug. 21. Since the Publication of the Arrêt of the 15th, importing, that the Bank Notes of 10000 and 1000 Livres should be current no longer than the 1st of October, those Notes lost very considerably in Exchange for those of 100, and of 10 Livres, but upon a Report which has been spread, that they will be continued current till the 1st of March next, they have a little recovered their Credit, and are only at 160 per Thousand Discount. The Bank has not for some Days past delivered out any small Notes for large ones, nor have the King's Exchanges paid any Bills in Specie. 'Tis said that great Quantities of Bank Notes have within these few Days been paid into the current Accounts of the Bank, and it is believed that the 300 Millions assigned to the Town of Paris, will be filled up before the 1st of next Month, the Time prefixed by the late Arrêt for the closing of these Books. On Sunday the 18th, the Cardinal de Rohan was several Hours in Conference with the Regent, upon the Subject of the Accommodation projected here touching the Pope's Constitution. The Parliament who have had that Affair some time before them, are said to be unwilling to register it without consulting the Sorbonne, it being an Affair which properly belonged to that learned Body to judge of. The Prince of Conti was brought to Bed on Monday Night of a Prince. The Marechal d'Estree designs to set out on Saturday next for his Government of Bretagne.

London, August 17.

Yesterday South-Sea Stock was 880, 870, to 875, with the Dividend. First Subscription 570, 565, to 570. Second Subscription 510, 505, to 510. Third Subscription 225. Bank 227, to 225. India 365. Africa 132, to 130. Royal Exchange Assurance 210, to 203. London Assurance 137, to 125.

On Wednesday the 31st Instant, at Two in the Afternoon, by Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, will be exposed to Sale by Inch of Candle, in the Long Room in the Custom-House, London, a Parcel of Drugs, Grocery, Linen and Woolen, Military-Ware, Looking-Glasses and Frames, Rum, Chocolate, Cocoa-Paste, Tobacco, Tea, Coffee, Pistols, Snuff, Iron-Ware, Cocoa-Nuts, dried Citron, Wax-Candles, Tamarins, Tobacco-Stalks, Tobacco, Rice, Cowries, Perriwigs, raw and thrown Silk, Flock-Work, Shawl for Hats, Bras, dressed Flax, Skins, Maps, stained Callicoe, Woolen-Caps, Varnish, Brilles and Shoes, Work-Mens Rules, Delft-Ware, wearing Apparel, Pictures, Brandy, Wine, (clear of all Duties) prohibited East-India-Goods, to be exported; and are to be seen at the King's Ware-House, on Monday the 29th, and Tuesday the 30th Instant, from 8 to 12 in the Forenoon, and from 2 till 5 in the Afternoon, and on Wednesday the 31st, from 8 till 12 in the Forenoon. Note, The Buyer to pay down, in part, 5 Guineas each Lot, and the Goods to be taken away, with all Faults, on or before the 1st of October next.

The Goverour and Company of Undertakers for raising the Thames Water in York Building, (being impowered by Act of Parliament to grant Annuities) do hereby give Notice, that Attendance is given at their Office in Throgmorton-street, every Tuesday and Thursday, from 9 in the Morning till 12 at Noon, to treat with all such as desire to purchase the same.

Copper-Miners Office, Bush-lane.
The Goverour and Company of Copper-Miners in England, for the more speedy Dispatch of Business, have appointed the following Committees;

Of Treasury.

Mr. Jos. Wordsworth,	Thos. Chambers, Esq;
Dep. Gov.	John Essington, Esq;
Sir Alex. Cairne,	Cas. Billingsley, Esq;
Thos. Chambers, Esq;	Mr. Eliaz. Edwards,
John Essington, Esq;	John Shore, Esq;
Cas. Billingsley, Esq;	John Hardwar, Esq;
Mr. Jos. Wordsworth, Jun.	Mr. Benj. Bradley,
Mr. Bryan Benson.	Mr. Henry Robinson.

Any Person that has Occasion for Wrought or Unwrought Copper, may be supplied by the Company, with any Quantity, and with the utmost Dispatch; they having several Mills within six Miles of London.

Notice is hereby given, that a General Court of the Royal Lutring Company will be held To-morrow the 18th Instant, at Ten in the Morning, at Merchant Taylor's-Hall, in Threadneedle-Street; where all Persons concerned are desired to attend upon very special Affairs.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to an Order of a General Court of the Royal Lutring Company held at Weavers-Hall in Basing-hall-street on Wednesday the 3d Instant, the Transfer-Books of the said Company were shut on Tuesday the 9th Instant, and will continue shut untill Tuesday the 6th of September next. And that by Order of the same General Court, every Proprietor is (some time after the said 9th Instant and before the 6th of September) to pay in 10 l. upon every one of their Shares in the Capital Stock of the said Company, at their Office in Freeman's-Yard, where Attendance will be given every Day, from Ten to One, to receive the same.

The Proprietors of Temple-Mills Bras-works having at a General Meeting held at Pewterers-Hall the 13th Instant, agreed to pay into the Hands of the Treasurer, on or before the 23d Instant, 40 l. upon each Share, for the better carrying on the Works at the said Mills; Notice is hereby given, that the Treasurer for the said Proprietors, will attend on Friday, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, being the 19th, 20th, 22d and 23d Instant, at the English Bras Ware-house on Dowgate-Hill, from 9 to 12 in the Forenoon, and from 2 to 5 in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, to receive the same.

Acted but twice these Three Years.

By His Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, To-morrow, being Thursday, the 18th of August, will be reviv'd a Comedy call'd, *The Lancashire Witches*: Or, *Teague & Divelly*. Written by Mr. Shadwell, late Poet Laureat. With all the Original Decor of Scenes, Dances, Ringers, Singing, and Flyings of the Witches. All the Musick both Vocal and Instrumental, Set by the late Mr. Barret. And Dancing by Miss Tunce, and Miss Smith: Particularly, Two Dutch Lasses.

UNION FIRE-OFFICE in Gutter-Lane, Cheapside.

WE the under-named, Sufferers by the late dreadful FIRES in Barn-street, Holborn-bridge, Wapping, and other Place, do hereby certify, in Justice to the said Society, that we have received of the Directors the following Claims for our Losses sustained at the said Fires; as Witness our Hands,

1. s. d.

William Astell, Esq.	- - -	4200	00	00
Humphry Parsons, Esq.	- - -	1500	00	00
Tho. Welt, Esq. and Robert Hackett	400	00	00	
Henry Morris, Merchant	- - -	596	15	00
Aaron Harrington, Merchant	- - -	250	00	00
Henry Bowman, Merchant	- - -	94	00	00
Willam Gard ner, Distiller	- - -	500	00	00
Cor. Woolley Tallow-Chandler	- - -	591	00	00
Thomas Ruddick, Cook	- - -	91	18	00
John Rigg, Woollen-draper	- - -	94	00	00
Thomas Herne, Distiller	- - -	18	00	00
Titus Welt, Sail-maker	- - -	20	00	00
Peter Parr, Apothecary	- - -	24	18	00
John Axel, Ironmonger	- - -	20	00	00
Charles Farrow, Baker	- - -	18	17	00
Daniel Sowton, Vintner	- - -	13	12	00
Robert Parkinon, Innholder	- - -	9	00	00
John Pippin, Dyer	- - -	7	10	00
Edward Buxton, Distiller	- - -	5	8	00
John Hoddle, Watchmaker	- - -	1	15	00
Thomas Cook, Distiller	- - -	1	10	00
Eliz Wilson.	- - -	1	00	00

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And 'tis expected that those few who have not yet paid their Contribution, will do the same forthwith, without occasioning any further Trouble either to the Office or themselves; the Time fixt for their doing, pursuant to the Direction of the General Meetings, being just expired.

Lost the 15th Instant, between 4 and 5 a Clock in Exchange Alley, a black Letter Case, with the following Notes, viz. A Bank Note, dated Aug. 1, in the Name of Luke Leader, No. 11, for 301. Mifl. Bland and Dove's Note on Demand, 301. 17s. Two Shares on the River Douglas, one in the Name of Sir Tho. Johnson, the other in the Name of Tho. Manly, with several other Notes, of no use but to the Owner, Payment being stopp'd. Whoever brings them to Mr. Banks, a Chymist, in Walbrook, or to Mr. Jonathan Wilde in the Old Bailey, shall have 3 Guineas Reward, and no Questions ask'd.

Left in a Hackney Coach on Friday the 12th Instant, that took up his Fare in Foster-lane, Cheapside, about 4 in the Afternoon, and set them down in Billiter-square, 2 Bundles wherein were 18 Ells of Holland, and other odd Things. If the Coachman will bring them to John's Coffee-house in Swinfin's Alley, near the Royal Exchange, he shall have 10 s. Reward, and no Questions ask'd.

To be Sold a Penniworth,

A very handsome second-hand Chariot, very little worst for wearing, with a whole Fore-Glass, handsomely painted and gilt, lined with Caffoy, with safe Braces to it; and a second-hand Coach, lined with Scarlet Cloth, and a whole Fore-Glass; also a very light second-hand Chariot, lined with Blue Cloth: To be seen at the Golden Angel in Little Queen-street, Holbourn.

For SALE by the CANDLE.

At the Marine Coffee-house in Birch-in-lane, on Friday the 19th Instant, at Five in the Afternoon exactly, will be exposed to Sale a great Parcel of Mercury, being the late Goods of Jonathan James, Mercer, in Wards-street, seized by a Commission of Bankrupts awarded against him, viz. Stuffs, Spanish Poplins, Persianas, Saribets, half Yard and 3 Quarter Mantuas, Damasks, Venetians, Brocades, Florence Satins, Draperys, and Norwich Crapes, and several other sorts of Mercury. The Goods above-mentioned are to be seen till the time of Sale, at Leatherstitcher-Hall within Bishopsgate, at a Warehouse belonging to Henry Curter, Arthur Mainwaring Broker.

For SALE by the CANDLE.

On Friday the 19th Instant, at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombard-street, at 3 a-Clock in the Afternoon, The good Brigantine Sterling, Square Stern'd, New-England Built, Butthen 100 Tons more or less, and good Dimensions, as specified in the Inventory: Lying in the Great-Wet-Dock; Lemuel Drew at present Commander. Inventories, &c. to be seen on board the said Ship, at the King's-Arms Coffee-house against the Custom-house, and at Lloyd's Coffee-house aforesaid. To be sold by Abraham Coleman legal Broker, who buys and sells all Manner of Merchandise and Ships, at publick and private Sale, enters and clears Ships at the Custom-house, and takes out Mediterranean-Passes.

63 Bales of Russia Linnen and Diaper, will be put up to Sale by the Candle, at the publick Sale Warehouse on the Royal Exchange, on Friday the 19th Instant, at Three a-Clock in the Afternoon, and are to be seen at the said Warehouse till that Time.

The Mitre Tavern in Fen-church-street, London; and several other Houses adjoining, being Leasehold, and of the yearly Rent of 301. are by Decree of the High Court of Chancery, to be sold to the best Bidder, before John Meller, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn, Chancery-lane; where Particulars may be had.

To be Sold (near the Church) at Finchley, A Freehold Estate, consisting of a House, Garden, Coach-house, Stables, and a Farm-houfe at the End, with about 10 Acres of Ground. Enquire of Alexander Evans, Plummer, near Newgate-street.

To be Sold,

Several Leasehold Houses, viz. 3 in Earl's Court, in Drury-Lane, amounting to 271. 10s. per Annum; 3 in Bow-street, Covent-Garden, amounting to 163. per Annum; 1 in the Strand of 321. per Annum; 2 in King-street near Bloomsbury-Square, 1 of 261. and the other of 101. per Annum; all in good Repair and well Tenanted. Enquire of Mr. Benj. Cooke at his House in Prince's-street near Stocks-Market.

A most delightful pleasant and convenient new-built House, with Out-houses, and a very good Garden, adjoining to the Lord Ranalaugh's at Chelsea, to be Sold. Enquire at Will's Coffee-house at Scotland-Yard in Whitehall, or at the said House.

A very good House and Shop in substantial Repair, over-against Bow Church, Cheapside, is to be Let as Michaelmas next, and the Goods sold at Reasonable Rates, the Tenant, being a Linen-Draper, intending to leave off the Trade. Enquire at the said House, or at Mr. Robert Lewin in Kirby-street, near Harton-Garden.

To be Sold, Two Mannors adjoining together, lying between Cirencester and Stow on the Wold, in the County of Gloucester, the Domains whereof are about 300 l. per Annum in Peculiar, besides several Reversions after 1, 2, and 3 Lives; with a good Mansion House thereon, with Coach-houses, Stables, Barns, and other Offices, and Gardens, Orchards, &c. walled in. All in extraordinary good Repair, and several Copices, with plenty of young Timber. The whole very improvable, and situate in a pleasant Country; the Royalty of both Mannors above 8 Miles in Circuit. Particulars may be had of Mr. John Hamilton, at the Chancery-Office, Mr. John Edwards, Merchant, in Scotch-yard, near London Stone, and Wm. Edwards, Esq; in Elm Court in the Middle Temple.

To be Sold,

The Manor of Bardsea, in Lancashire, and the Capital Messuage there, being a large well built Brick House, with all Buildings, Gardens, and other things necessary and convenient, and well situate on the Sea Coast, late one of the Seats and usual Place of Residence of the late Lord Viscount Molineux, and consisting of Lands in Possession of about 300 l per Ann. Tythe free, and in a good Country for Hunting, and other Diversions. Also the Manor of Kington, in Herefordshire, and the Manor-House and Lands thereto belonging, late the Estate of the said Lord Molineux. Inquire of Mr. Samuer of Lyon's Inn, Mr. Dandy of Aldermanbury, or Mr. Green of Liverpool.

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The Symptoms, Nature, and real Cause of Barrenness, plainly directing how it may be quickly and absolutely cured, and those Women be rendered fruitful who have been effectually barren for many Years, with a clear and very particular account of Conception and Generation; also of Miscarriage, and how it may be certainly prevented, even in those who have miscarried 10 or 12 Times before: Together with a Rational Account of the Green Sickness, Obstructions, immoderate Fluxes, and all other Natural Distempers that the Female Sex are liable to; discovering their real Nature, true Cause, and certain Cure, so as Women or Maids of the meanest Capacity may perfectly understand their own Illnesses, and readily cure themselves. Sold only at the Two Blue Posts in Haydon-yard in the Liberties. Price sixpence bound in 12 s. 6 d.

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